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AGENDA

Monday, February 6, 2006 Capitol Extension, E1.036 10:00 a.m.

- I. Call to Order
- II. Approval of Committee Minutes from January 24, 2006
- III. Panel 1: Efficiency
 - Dr. Chrys Dougherty, Director of Research, National Center for Educational Accountability and Just for Kids
 - Sandy Kress, Partner, Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld, LLP
 - Jay Riley, Director, Public Sector Service Group, Deloitte Consulting
- IV. Panel 2: Post-Secondary Success
 - Karen Pennell, Assistant Vice President and Regional Manager, ACT, Inc., Southwest Region
 - Ann Wright, Regional Vice-President, College Board, Southwestern Regional Office
 - Dr. Cary Israel, President, Collin County Community College District
 - Patricia Hayes, Associate Commissioner, Educator Quality and P-16 Initiatives, Texas Education Agency
 - Eileen Friou, AVID Coordinator, Richardson Independent School District
- V. Panel 3: High School Reform
 - John Fitzpatrick, Executive Director, Texas High School Project
 - Christi Martin, Senior Advisor for Education Initiatives, Texas Education Agency
 - Kent Ewing, Director, Blueprint Initiative and High School Redesign, Austin Independent School District
 - Charles B. "Chuck" Boyd, Director, Secondary School Management, Fort Worth Independent School District
 - Dr. Anne McClellan, Founding Principal, Challenge Early College High School, Houston Independent School District

- VI. Governor's Educator Excellence Award Program
 - Christi Martin, Senior Advisor for Education Initiatives, Texas Education Agency
 - Robin Gelinas, Program Manager, Texas Education Agency
- VII. Discussion of Reform Options presented at January 24 hearing
- VIII. Public Testimony on Reform Options presented at January 24 hearing
- IX. Recess